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## PLAINFIELD

Miss Florence Perry spent last week in Montpelier with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Minott.

Mr. Gardner of Huntington recently visited his son, J. J. Gardner, at Bancroft inn.

Mrs. E. F. Leavitt spent last week in Montpelier with Mr. and Mrs. William Stratton.

Miss Ella Gale of Montpelier called on friends in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed. Bond visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Prescott of East Montpelier on Wednesday.

Fred L. Page of Barre spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Baldwin.

Miss Jane Clark visited relatives in Montpelier Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Gale and Mrs. Frank Rice were in Montpelier Tuesday.

Mrs. Chase of Concord, N. H., recently visited Misses Jane and Abba Clark.

Mrs. Karl Woodcock was in Barre and Montpelier Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cate and children were in town Sunday, visiting Mrs. Viola Bemis.

Mrs. J. J. Gardner is reported quite ill. Mrs. Charles Comstock has returned from Heaton hospital, Montpelier, where she has been for an operation and treatment.

Mrs. Dean Town was in Barre Friday, visiting friends.

Mrs. J. Lilley of Calais visited Mrs. Ed. Stowe Friday and Saturday.

Miss Edith Bancroft of Montpelier was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ed. Stone and Mrs. Mary LaBounty were in Montpelier Saturday.

Miss Fanny Martin of Goddard seminary, Barre, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Martin.

Ryland Parks and Wayland Hamel of Spaulding high school, Barre, are spending a two weeks' vacation at home.

Mrs. Eva Bailey and Mrs. C. P. Kellogg were in Montpelier Saturday.

L. L. Knapp and A. E. Foss began their duties as jurymen last week.

The Rebekah lodge gave Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ralston and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Comstock a reception in the Odd Fellows hall Saturday evening. A pleasant time was reported. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Ella Smith and Alton Smith were in Montpelier Friday on business.

## ANOTHER MAXWELL VICTORY.

Two years ago so little was known of the name of Maxwell in the states of Vermont and New Hampshire, that they hardly made a scratch on the map, until one of the native sons, Mr. W. T. L.



W. S. OLEY.

Oley, by name, took up the factory representation and has met with seeming success, for here is a photograph of the first trainload of automobiles that has ever come into these states exclusively for resident agents.

This brings to mind more forcibly than anything else, how fast Vermont and New Hampshire have come to the front, as large users of automobiles, and coupled with this the latest statistics show that there is an automobile for every 30 people in each state.

Just what Mr. Oley's parents meant by putting the T. L. in his name is not known, but it looks to us from his record that his full name might be Willard Train Load Oley.

While this paper is not given to flattery, still comment upon achievements of men who do things really worth while, and especially a young man of Mr. Oley's ability, we feel that more than passing comment should be made of his work.

When seen yesterday by a Times reporter, Mr. Oley said: "The matter of a trainload of automobiles coming into New Hampshire and Vermont looks to me to be the establishment of a claim that I made two years ago, and that was that New Hampshire and Vermont would be the first on the map as regards users of popular priced automobiles. I have been working continuously and my factory is pretty well represented. I feel that it is a result of hard, consistent work and if there is any credit to be given for it, it certainly must be the faith that the several agents have had and the encouragement that they have given me from time to time. I believe I have one of the best selling organizations that there is in any state. There are practically no changes from the time we started our business relations, and I have gotten on really and truly friendly terms with all of our distributors. How could a man have any other than success with such a following?"

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etta, "Pauline," which is to be given in the near future.

William Mears of Barre spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nat Page.

Mrs. Blanche Perrin and Miss Alice Batchelder were in in Montpelier Saturday.

The Hollister Hill school, taught by Miss Lila Townsend, closed Friday, March 10. The pupil having correct spelling lessons throughout the 13 weeks was Walter Gokey, those missing only one word were Dorothy Dwinell, Minnie Dodge, Clement Hutchins and Florence Payne. Those having an average of 90 or over in their studies were Walter Gokey, Kenneth Buxton and John Story. Edith Martin had perfect attendance throughout the term also winning second prize in the prize speaking contest at Marshfield.

## PLAINFIELD

Bargains—Until March 31, L. F. Fortney, Plainfield, offers at prices below competition a variety of floor coverings, including a large selection of art square and rug borders, the latest styles in window draperies, mattresses and springs, a large stock of wall paper, wall board, metallic ceilings, etc. Early selections will be most satisfactory.—adv.

## BERLIN

As the Berlin Corner church needs painting, a start in raising funds will be made by the primary classes of the Sunday school, who will present a play, entitled, "Mother Goose," in town hall Wednesday evening, March 22. Admission, including refreshments, 25c; children, 15c.

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## ROOT'S NAME OFF THE LIST

Refuses to Be Temporary Chairman at Chicago Convention

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Subcommittee Works on Its Plans for Convention

Chicago, March 21.—Election of a temporary chairman for the Republican national convention, which meets here in June, was the problem faced by the members of the Republican national committee's sub-committee on convention arrangements here yesterday.

With the exception of E. S. Duncan of North Carolina, every member of the sub-committee was present when Charles D. Hilles of New York, chairman, rapped for order. The western members were regarded as favoring an immediate selection of the temporary chairman.

Franklin Murphy of New Jersey brought word of the elimination of Elihu Root of New York from the temporary chairman contest. He said: "Mr. Root has stated positively that he would not attend the convention."

Chairman Hilles declined to discuss presidential possibilities. He said an effort would be made to have the convention go on record as favoring a uniform presidential primary law.

Before the session began Ralph Williams of Oregon said that the Republicans in Oregon regarded Justice Charles E. Hughes of the supreme court as the best compromise candidate. "I do not think," said Mr. Williams, "that the leaders regard Colonel Roosevelt seriously as a candidate."

Candidates for the temporary chairmanship whose names appeared in the discussion were: Senator W. E. Borah of Idaho, Senator Henry C. Lodge of Massachusetts, former Governor Chase S. Osborn of Michigan, Governor S. W. McCall of Massachusetts and P. C. Knox of Pennsylvania.

Franklin Murphy said he did not think Colonel Roosevelt would be seriously considered by the convention as a presidential candidate. Elihu Root, he said, was the "ideal candidate." "The wisest leaders of the party," said Mr. Murphy, "seem to think that Colonel Roosevelt could not be elected if he were nominated. He is stronger in the West than in the East."

Fred W. Upham of Chicago, head of the Chicago convention committee, who has just returned from the East, said the sentiment he had heard in that section placed Justice Hughes first, Governor McCall second and former Vice-President Fairbanks third as possible convention candidates.

The committee plans for a two days' session.

## GERMANY ASSUMES CONTROL OF WAGES

Issues Decree Compelling Large Percentage of Pay of Minors to Be Deposited in the Banks Till War Is Over.

Berlin, wireless to Sayville, March 21.—The new regulations in regard to distribution of butter and potatoes went into effect yesterday, and the people of Berlin are now able to purchase these supplies only on presentation of cards.

Each person will be permitted to purchase 135 grams (about five ounces) of butter weekly and 10 pounds of potatoes each 12 days.

It is understood this measure is a temporary one, to remain in force until the local shortage is remedied by better methods of distribution. An official decree was issued yesterday to the effect that minors engaged in gainful occupations shall not receive more than 18 marks weekly of their earnings, together with a surplus amounting to not more than one-third of the amount paid in excess of 18 marks. The residue must be deposited in savings banks, not to be withdrawn during the war. This measure was decided upon owing to the fact that exceptionally high salaries are being paid and that in some instances the money has been wasted because the fathers or guardians of the minors, being at the front, are unable to exercise proper supervision.

## STEEL TRUST SUIT UP MAY 15.

Supreme Court Denies Government Application for Postponement.

Washington, March 21.—The supreme court yesterday denied an application of the government to postpone bringing the steel trust suit up for hearing until next autumn. The case was ordered brought up May 15 but may not be argued before next autumn.

The effect of the ruling is that the court will scrutinize all of the 30 volumes of testimony taken in the trust busting suit instead of an abbreviated digest.

The government wanted until July 1 to condense the testimony.



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